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SUBJECT: VISIT OF AREND D. LUBBERS

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1. THE REFERENCE, SENT BONN PARIS AND VIENNA ONLY, DESCRIBED THE TRAVEL OF COMMISSIONER AREND D. LUBBERS OF THE COMMISSION ON THE ORGANIZATION OF THE GOVERNMENT FOR THE CONDUCT OF FOREIGN POLICY. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON THE COMMISSION IS SENT TO THE ABOVE THREE POSTS FOR THEIR USE IN CONNECTION WITH DR. LUBBERS' TRIP AND TO ALL OTHER EUR MISSIONS FOR BACKGROUND INFORMATION INASMUCH AS ADDITIONAL TRAVEL WILL BE UNDERTAKEN BY THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION IN THE MONTHS AHEAD.

2. THE FOREIGN RELATIONS AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1972 (PL 92-352, JULY 13, 1972) ESTABLISHED A STUDY COMMISSION TO SUBMIT TO THE CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS "TO PROVIDE A MORE EFFECTIVE SYSTEM FOR THE FORMULATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NATIONS FOREIGN POLICY".

3. IN DESCRIBING THE DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION THE LAW STATES THAT "THE COMMISSION SHALL STUDY AND INVESTIGATE
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THE ORGANIZATION, METHODS OF OPERATION, AND POWERS OF ALL
INSTRUMENTALITIES OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

PARTICIPATING IN THE FORMULATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF
UNITED STATES FOREIGN POLICY." IN CARRYING OUT ITS
RESPONSIBILITIES THE COMMISSION MAY MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS
WITH RESPECT TO THE RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE DEPARTMENTS AND
AGENCIES, MORE EFFECTIVE ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN EXECUTIVE
BRANCH AND CONGRESS, IMPROVED PROCEDURES AMONG DEPARTMENTS
AND AGENCIES, THE ABOLITION OF SERVICES, ACTIVITIES
AND FUNCTIONS NOT NECESSARY TO THE EFFICIENT CONDUCT OF
FOREIGN POLICY, AND "OTHER MEASURES TO PROMOTE PEACE,
ECONOMY, EFFICIENCY AND IMPROVED ADMINISTRATION OF FOREIGN
POLICY."

4. THE REPORT OF THE COMMISSION, WHICH IS TO BE SUBMITTED
BY JUNE 30, 1975, MAY INCLUDE "PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENTS, LEGISLATION, AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION CONSID-
ERED APPROPRIATE IN CARRYING OUT ITS DUTIES." THE COM-
MISSION, IN PERFORMING ITS RESPONSIBILITIES, IS AUTHORIZED
TO HOLD HEARINGS, SUBPOENA WITNESSES AND SECURE DIRECTLY
INFORMATION FROM ANY EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY.

5. THE COMMISSION IS COMPOSED OF TWELVE MEMBERS, FOUR
EACH TO BE APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE AND THE PRESIDENT. THE MEMBERS ARE:

APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

THE HONORABLE MIKE MANSFIELD
UNITED STATES SENATE

THE HONORABLE JAMES B. PEARSON - VICE CHAIRMAN
UNITED STATES SENATE

MRS. CHARLES W. ENGLEHARD, JR.
FAR HILLS, NEW JERSEY

MR. FRANK C.P. MCGLINN
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT
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FIDELITY BANK
PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

APPOINTED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM S. MAILLAIRD
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DR. STANLEY P. WAGNER
PRESIDENT, EAST CENTRAL STATE COLLEGE
ADA, OKLAHOMA

DR. AREND D. LUBBERS
PRESIDENT, GRAND VALLEY STATE COLLEGE
ALLANDALE, MICHIGAN

APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT

THE HONORABLE ROBERT D. MURPHY - CHAIRMAN
CORNING GLASS INTERNATIONAL
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

THE HONORABLE WILLIAM J. CASEY
UNDER SECRETARY FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

MRS. ANNE ARMSTRONG
COUNSELLOR TO THE PRESIDENT
WHITE HOUSE

DR. DAVID M. ABSHIRE
CHAIRMAN,
CENTER OF STRATEGIC AND INTERNATIONAL STUDIES
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

6. FRANCIS O. WILCOX IS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF
THE COMMISSION AND FISHER HOWE THE DEPUTY EXECUTIVE
DIRECTOR. FORMER SENATOR WILLIAM B. SPONG, JR. IS GENERAL
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COUNSEL TO THE COMMISSION. ROGERS

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